



ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional)

Indication of Existing Capability to Satisfy MASINT Requirements

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FROM:

MASINT Coordinator for DS&T

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OSP-0122-88

DATE

25 August 1988

TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building)

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COMMENTS (Number each comment to show from whom to whom. Draw a line across column after each comment.)

1. D/FBIS

Called [redacted] on 2 September with c/ [redacted] report. Nothing in writing required.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Development and Engineering
Director of SIGINT Operations
Director of Research and Development
Director, Foreign Broadcast Information Service

FROM: [REDACTED] 25X1
MASINT Coordinator for DS&T

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Requirements [REDACTED] 25X1

1. As I receive these MASINT requirements, I will circulate them. In some cases it is clear which DS&T office should take the lead; in others, I need your help in determining if DS&T has any existing capability. The deadline date of about one week is suggested so CIA can respond at the next biweekly MASINT meeting. At this first response date, I hope to answer only if we have an existing capability. If an office would like to develop a new capability, we could table that idea only if funding seemed likely from some source. I believe DS&T will be in a better position to propose new initiatives once a number of MASINT requirements are "on the books" than on a single requirement basis. [REDACTED] 25X1

2. For these five requirements, I propose the following lead office for responding to the MASINT Committee:

[REDACTED] 25X1

3. Please call me with comments by 5 September 1988. [REDACTED] 25X1

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Attachments:
MASINT Requirements

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C/LRB

2 Sept 88

Ref issue of MASINT requirements:

Requirement b -- Nuclear Weapons/EMP

FBIS (S&T Center) plays a secondary role in this area. Occasional articles on EMP are found in the open press and published in the USSR Physics Report.

Requirement e -- Nonacoustic ASW Sensor Development

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While we have been playing what we feel is a fairly significant role in this area, ~~it is not our primary role~~ we obviously can't address the more technical aspects of this requirement. ("signature information," etc). Thus, we would seem to fall more into a supporting role than a leading role. We would certainly want to have someone involved in any discussions on fulfilling this requirement.

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